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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

HIGHFIELD et al

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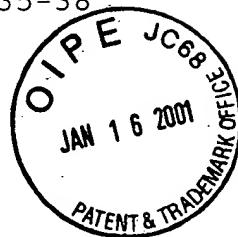
Filed: September 18, 2000

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For: VIRAL AGENT

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January 16, 2001



RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to Comply dated November 13, 2000, in the above. Kindly amend this application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Substitute the Sequence Listing submitted herewith for that originally filed September 18, 2000.

REMARKS

Favorable consideration of this application and entry of the foregoing amendment are respectfully requested.

The specification has been amended to include the Sequence Listing submitted herewith on separate sheets. Entry of the